

HB3932



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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HB3932

by Rep. Barbara Flynn Currie

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

110 ILCS 1020/1

from Ch. 144, par. 1951

Amends the Private College Campus Police Act. Provides that a campus police department subject to this Act shall disclose to the public any information that a law enforcement agency would have to disclose under the Freedom of Information Act.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning education.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Private College Campus Police Act is amended
5 by changing Section 1 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 1020/1) (from Ch. 144, par. 1951)

7 Sec. 1. The Board of Trustees of a private college or
8 private university, may appoint persons to be members of a
9 campus police department. The Board shall assign duties,
10 including the enforcement of college or university
11 regulations, and prescribe the oath of office. With respect to
12 any such campus police department established for police
13 protection, the members of such campus police department shall
14 be persons who have successfully completed the Minimum
15 Standards Basic Law Enforcement Training Course offered at a
16 police training school established under the Illinois Police
17 Training Act, as such Act may be now or hereafter amended. All
18 members of such campus police departments must also
19 successfully complete the Firearms Training for Peace Officers
20 established under the Peace Officer and Probation Officer
21 Firearm Training Act. Members of the campus police department
22 shall have the powers of municipal peace officers and county
23 sheriffs, including the power to make arrests under the

1 circumstances prescribed in Section 107-2 of the Code of
2 Criminal Procedure of 1963, as amended, for violations of state
3 statutes or municipal or county ordinances, including the
4 ability to regulate and control traffic on the public way
5 contiguous to the college or university property, for the
6 protection of students, employees, visitors and their
7 property, and the property branches, and interests of the
8 college or university, in the county where the college or
9 university is located. Campus police shall have no authority to
10 serve civil process.

11 Members of the campus police department at a private
12 college or private university shall not be eligible to
13 participate in any State, county or municipal retirement fund
14 and shall not be reimbursed for training with state funds. the
15 uniforms, vehicles, and badges of such officers shall be
16 distinctive from those of the local law enforcement agency
17 where the main campus is located.

18 The Board of Trustees shall provide liability insurance
19 coverage for each member of the campus police department
20 without cost to the member, which insures the member against
21 any liability which arises out of or in the course of the
22 member's employment for no less than \$250,000 of coverage,
23 unless such indemnification is provided by a program of
24 self-insurance.

25 A campus police department subject to this Act shall
26 disclose to the public any information that a law enforcement

1 agency would have to disclose under the Freedom of Information
2 Act.

3 For the purposes of this Section, "private college" or
4 "private university" means: (1) any college or university which
5 is not owned or controlled by the State or any political
6 subdivision thereof, and (2) which provides a program of
7 education in residence leading to a baccalaureate degree, or
8 which provides a program of education in residence, for which
9 the baccalaureate degree is a prerequisite, leading to an
10 academic or professional degree, and (3) which is accredited by
11 the North Central Association or other nationally recognized
12 accrediting agency.

13 (Source: P.A. 98-725, eff. 1-1-15.)